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"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 1617"

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
KAZUO KUWAHARA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: YU, G.C.
SERIAL NO: 10/594,506 :
FILED: SEPTEMBER 28, 2006 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1617
FOR: METAL OXIDE COMPOSITE OXIDE AND COSMETIC INCLUDING THE SAME

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 20, 2010, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begin on page 6 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this response.